GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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STREET CHILDREN
Dhanaraju Dr. K.

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provides any grants to the NGOs working for the welfare of Street Children;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has found any irregularity in the utilization of such funds by the NGOs; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a)&(b) Yes, Sir. The Ministry of Women and Child Development is providing grants to the Non- Governmental Organisations (NGOs) under the Scheme 'An Integrated Programme for Street Children' for the welfare of street children.The details of the grants released to the Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) under this scheme are available on the Ministry's website i.e. www.wcd.nic.in.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.